

## END OF SPECIAL SESSION NEAR

### Norfolk, Virginia Men Still Working On Kidnaping Case

Conference With Colonel  
Lindbergh Reported  
Held Monday

### RONSON BILL IS SEEN

Woman Tenders \$20 Ran-  
som Bill in Bakery—Flees  
When Questioned

NORFOLK, Va.—(AP)—Dean Dobson Peacock, said Tuesday that he was advised that two associates in the negotiations for the return of the Lindbergh baby conferred Monday with Colonel Lindbergh.

He said he heard from John Hughes Curtis, who left here Sunday by plane but refused to reveal the details of the journey.

He said he had not heard from Rear Admiral Burrage, retired, whose absence since last Saturday at first was reported to have no connection with the negotiations.

He would not state where the conference with Colonel Lindbergh took place.

### Ransom Bill Tended

NEW YORK—An attractive middle-aged woman, who attempted to pass part of the Lindbergh ransom money in a Greenwich (Ct.) bakery, was hunted on Westchester county, (N. Y.) highways Monday night by posses of state and local police.

A Packard sedan driven by a woman stopped at the bakery shop shortly before 5 p. m. In payment of a small purchase, she offered a \$20 bill. The proprietor checked it with a list of serial numbers and exclaimed:

"That's one of the Lindbergh bills." Without a word the woman snatched the bill, rushed from the shop, jumped into the waiting car and was driven away hurriedly. The word immediately was flashed over the police communications and state troopers began scouting the highways. Late in the night the car had not been sighted by the police. It was the first appearance of one of the 4,750 bills for which the entire Atlantic coast had been looking for more than 24 hours.

### Police Probe Deal

Meantime, a sweeping police investigation of the ransom deal was ordered by Police Commissioner Edward P. Mulrooney.

Acting under his orders, detectives from police headquarters early Monday night questioned Dr. John F. Condon—the Jafis of the want ad columns, who tossed the wrapped bundle of currency over a fence to three men who were waiting inside the cemetery Saturday night, April 2.

Colonel Lindbergh and Al Reich, former heavyweight boxer, were waiting in the Lindbergh car less than a block away when the money was turned over to the mysterious trio, which had promised the kidnapped baby would be returned eight hours later. Dr. Condon, however, was the only one who saw the three purported kidnappers.

Out of deference to the 72-year-old Fordham University lecturer, the police questioning did not take place at the modest Condon home in Bronx, where newspaper men have congregated ever since his connection with the ransom deal was revealed Sunday morning.

Instead he was allowed to go to an unannounced meeting place where detectives went over the entire ransom negotiations. He was accompanied by Reich, the husky six-footer who has been acting as his bodyguard and who once fought Luis Angel Firpo, Argentine heavyweight.

Prior to the police interview, Dr. Condon had left his home with two suitcases in a car driven by his son-in-law, Ralph Hucker of Fort Lee, N. J. He returned about 3:30 and departed at once with Reich to submit to police questioning.

Just how much Dr. Condon revealed to the police could not be learned. He still believes the men with whom he was dealing were acting in good faith, and he is afraid he may disclose something which will jeopardize the baby's life.

But it was known that police had been told of the final rendezvous at St. Raymond's cemetery, of the kidnappers' pledge that the baby would be delivered eight hours later at Martha's Vineyard and of Dr. Condon's futile airplane trip with Colonel Lindbergh and two others the next day to collect the child.

### Hams Taken by Burglars Were Only Dummies

CHICAGO — (AP) — John Janske laughed as he stood in front of his butcher shop in suburban Cicero, surveying the smashed front window. Policemen were somewhat mystified until he explained.

"The thief who broke this window took two dozen hams and sides of bacon, but he'll be surprised if he tries to eat them. They're all dummies."

### Established Contact for Lindbergh



Dr. John F. Condon, Sr., 72-year-old lecturer at Fordham University, who was one of the many to offer to deal with the kidnappers of the Lindbergh baby, and was selected as intermediary by supposed members of the gang. He corresponded with the men by means of notices signed "Jafis" inserted in New York newspaper personal columns, and arranged a meeting between them and Col. Henry Breckenridge, Lindbergh's counsel.

### Advocates of Bonus Press Case Tuesday

Detroit Minister Speaks in  
Favor of Immediate  
Payment

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Against the united opposition of the administration and Democratic leaders in congress, advocates of a cash payment of the soldier bonus, Tuesday pressed their case before the House Ways and Means Committee.

Rev. Charles E. Coughlin of Detroit, Mich., was introduced by Representative Fattman of Texas, sponsor of the measure and the priest read a prepared statement in which he told of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation being hurried through congress to make two billion dollars available "for financing financiers and tottering railroads."

He said the immediate payment of the bonus would put two billion of dollars into the channels of trade and commerce.

### Rocky Mound to Present Minstrel

Public Invited to Attend  
Program Saturday  
Night, April 16

A negro minstrel will be presented at the Rocky Mound school building, three miles east of Hope on Saturday evening, April 16, it has recently been announced by residents of that community.

The program will be composed of political speeches, quartets, jokes and a play, "Stick to Your Word Gal."

A small admission charge is to be made, the proceeds to go to the baseball team of the school.

### FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



Every brunette is willing to concede that a blonde is light-headed.

### Stuart Convicted of Manslaughter, Is Given 5 Years

Negro Found Guilty on  
Reduced Charge in  
Murder Case

### TRIALS WEDNESDAY

Ashcraft and Wyatt to Be  
Tried After Recess  
Tuesday

Willie Stuart, negro, was convicted of manslaughter and given a five-year sentence in the penitentiary by a jury in Hempstead circuit court at Washington late Monday.

Stuart, charged with the murder of Finis Reed, was on trial Monday morning, the case going to the jury shortly after noon.

W. H. Biddle was acquitted of forgery and uttering charges in the only other jury case tried Monday.

Judge Dexter Bush recessed court Monday night until Wednesday morning, giving court attaches a breathing spell Tuesday.

Cases scheduled for Wednesday are two murder trials, with C. W. Ashcraft and O. L. Wyatt the defendants. Ashcraft is charged with the slaying of Elmer Tullis in Hope two years ago this summer, and Wyatt is accused of the killing of a negro named Moss at the Southwest Arkansas Fair last fall.

### Gibson's Proposal Assailed by French

Premier Tardieu Objects  
to Disarmament Ideas  
of American

GENEVA.—(AP)—Premier Tardieu of France, representing his government at the world disarmament conference Tuesday, assailed proposals advanced Monday by Hugh Gibson, American representative.

Gibson proposed that tanks, big guns and gasses be abolished in the interests of security, but he made no mention of the battleship, the "most obvious aggressive weapon," said Tardieu.

He said the only means to security is common action against the aggressor.

### Convict, Escaped 22 Years, Returns

Repentant Blackmailer,  
Sentenced in 1908,  
"Gets Religion"

OSSINING, N. Y.—(AP)—Walter Bannigan, repentant came back to Sing Sing Monday after 22 years of stolen liberty. He announced he had "got religion" and wanted to cleanse his soul by serving the remainder of a term of 14 years. Warden Lewis E. Lawes met Bannigan at the gates and installed him in a new cell. He said he might recommend executive clemency.

The prodigal was accompanied by George L. Bogan, superintendent of a team's man, whom he had met two years ago and who converted him to the "straight and narrow."

Bannigan at 25, was sentenced in 1908 for assault and blackmail. One night after he served two years he, "Big Bill" Green, a notorious desperado, and three others overpowered two keepers and shined over a wall to freedom.

The others were recaptured. Bannigan disappeared without a trace. He spent most of that time in metropolitan area of New York, he revealed Monday, and worked for a time as a paint mixer. One night he wandered into Boland's mission on West Forty-second street and that was the end of his peace of mind.

Warden Lawes said Bannigan had been at liberty longer than any other escaped convict in the history of Sing Sing.

### Magnolia Belle Weds National Capitol Man

MAGNOLIA, Ark.—The wedding of Miss Camille Langston and George M. Fagan was solemnized Saturday evening, with Rev. O. E. Holmes, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, reading the ceremony.

Miss Langston, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Langston, of Magnolia, is a graduate of Magnolia High School, attended the University of Missouri, is a graduate of Louisiana State University, a member of the Delta Zeta sorority. She represented her chapter in the national convention in Bywinn, Canada.

The bridegroom's home is in Washington, but he is temporarily employed at the government experiment station in Tallulah, La., where Miss Langston is an instructor in the school.

After May, Mr. and Mrs. Fagan will be at home in Washington.

### Southwest Posses Hunt Bandits After Massacre



One of the most determined man hunts in the history of the southwest is being staged by straight-shooting Mexican and American officers on both sides of the border for three bandits who killed seven persons at the ranch home of Melquiades Espinosa, a cattleman near Berino, N. M., after demanding \$5000 which they thought Espinosa had hidden in his house. The victims were Mrs. Espinosa and her six children. At the right is shown Espinosa, who was wounded, but escaped by feigning death. The ranch house where the massacre occurred is shown, and, in circle, Adjutant General Osborne C. Wood of the New Mexico National Guard, whom Governor Arthur Seligman ordered to the scene. Wood is a son of the late Major General Leonard C. Wood.

### Robinson Seeks to Avoid Tariff Fight

Opposes Effort to Com-  
plete Issue Over Pend-  
ing Revenue Bill

WASHINGTON.—Indications Monday were that Sen. Joe T. Robinson will have a hard fight to keep the pending revenue bill from becoming a tariff law.

A coalition of Senators was formed during the day to work for increased duties or new duties on oil, coal, copper, lumber products and a few other commodities. The group was formed at the instance of Senator Thomas, Democrat of Oklahoma, and Senator Steiwer, Republican of Oregon. It includes several Democrats besides Thomas.

A proposal which was viewed with considerable favor was imposition of an import tax on rubber, not to protect the domestic producers, since there are none, but to raise an estimated \$100,000,000 of revenue. Supporters of import taxes on basic commodities secured estimates Monday from the Treasury Department indicating that, with rubber excepted, a total of about \$100,000,000 annually could be raised through limited tariffs written into the revenue bill.

Senator Robinson is strongly opposing the proposals to open the bill to all sorts of tariff amendments.

### State Lumberman Dies in California

C. T. Crowell, Pioneer of  
Arkansas, Operated at  
Stamps and Waldo

TEXARKANA.—C. T. Crowell, 82, pioneer lumberman of Southwest Arkansas who operated mills at Stamps and Waldo in the 1880's died at 2:30 p. m. Monday at his home in Los Angeles, Calif.

He is survived by his wife and three daughters, Miss Ida Crowell and Miss Belle Crowell of Los Angeles, and Mrs. J. K. Wadley, of Texarkana, one son, R. D. Crowell, of Alexandria, La., and two granddaughters, Mrs. Ralph Randolph, of Dallas and Mrs. J. A. R. Mosley, Jr., of Texarkana.

Death came Monday after an illness of 10 days which began with a heart attack. Mr. and Mrs. Wadley and Mrs. Randolph were at the bedside when he passed away.

Mr. Crowell founded the Bodew lumbar mills which he sold in 1889 to the Buchanan interests. He moved to California about 50 years ago after living five years in Texarkana. He was married in 1873 to Miss Ella Stamps, daughter of H. J. Stamps, for whom the LaFayette county town was named.

Funeral arrangements had not been completed Monday night.

### House Refunding Bill Passes Senate in Session Tuesday

Speedy Adjournment Is  
Now Expected as Work  
Is Completed

### VOTE CARRIES 23 TO 5

The House Members Felt  
Bond Bill Unconstitu-  
tional Reports Disclosure

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—The Senate Tuesday passed without amendment the House bond refunding bill, completing action by the legislature on all legislation it was called to enact at the present special session.

The vote on this measure was 23 to 5. Speedy adjournment was felt sure of by this action of the Senate, probably late Tuesday afternoon.

The Senate recessed until 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, the same hour at which the House will reconvene.

The most controversial section of the bond bill, designed to refund forty-seven million dollars worth of road improvement district bonds, is the prohibiting further state aid to improvement districts near Little Rock developed by Justin Matthews, a member of the highway commission.

Some House members Tuesday morning, however, felt that the bond bill was unconstitutional and indicated that they would ask the House to consider the Senate refunding bill and the McElhannon bill, which have not yet been acted upon by the House.

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## The Star's Platform

### CITY

Apply the revenues of the municipal power plant to develop the industrial and social resources of Hope.

Improve city pavement in 1935, and improved sanitary conditions in the alleys and backyards.

Support the Chamber of Commerce.

### COUNTY

A county highway program providing for the construction of a certain amount of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the dirt-road mileage.

Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural program which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county's greatest industry.

Encourage farmer organizations, believing that co-operative effort is as practical in the country as it is in town.

### STATE

Continued progress on the state highway program.

Facilitate tax reform, and a more efficient government through the better system of expenditures.

## The Miracle of a Child's Voice

WHEN it was announced the other day that a little 5-year-old boy, at Fairmont, W. Va., had spoken for the first time in his life, following his 97th operation, a great many parents suddenly awakened to the lulling beauty that comes in children's voices.

Their happy, haunting words are taken as a matter of course. They form a rhythmic background to the conversation which older, wiser people make. It usually takes some sort of contrast with another's sorrow or disappointment to reveal something unusual in the uncommon common.

Medical science scored a distinctive victory when it opened the constricted larynx of little Frankie Powell and gave his thin, compressed little voice a chance to break its bonds. It took perseverance. Most of us would have given up somewhere along the chain of surgical work. We expect sudden wonders, not slow and effective growth.

We forget that it takes more than an hour for dull ears to catch the rhyming beauty of April rains; that closed eyes, opened after a long, long time, can't find sunlight and stars, and colored flowers all in a minute. It requires time. And 97 operations were necessary before a little boy could speak.

Parents naturally grow weary, occasionally, because of the countless questions which small boys and girls are always asking. But fathers and mothers caught their breath as they thought of the frightening stillness that would come if round red lips never appealed to them for answers which children can't possibly know.

Rooms that have known children's laughter would be strangely lonely if merry voices didn't play hide-and-seek in their corners.

Sometimes it takes another's sorrow to show us how fortunate we are. Contrast with another's unhappiness has revealing power. Sometimes it takes a miracle. And that, in a way, is what the surgeons accomplished when they released a little boy's voice.

## A Bark Heard Round the World

AMONG the things we would like to see in the papers, but never shall, is an interview with Short, a dog owned by a radio engineer in Schenectady, N. Y.

Short, as you may remember noticing, happened into his master's laboratory the other day while they were testing a round-the-world radio circuit. Short barked, and his bark went whizzing around the world and emerged from a nearby loudspeaker, a fraction of a second later, unimpaired.

Thinking that he was being mocked, or something, Short barked again, and again the bark went around the globe and came back at him. In fact, it all lasted quite a while, and some enterprising reporter ought to find out about the mental and emotional reactions of this, the first dog to hear his own voice after it had traveled 25,000 miles through empty air.

## Taxes Must Not Kill This Country

THE most serious evil besetting this nation is neither prohibition nor crime; it is unbearable taxation. Taxation has ruined more than one nation, ancient and modern. Unless arrested it will ruin our nation. Taxes have shamefully outrun national growth, national wealth, national prosperity. Tax eaters have multiplied shockingly faster than tax-payers. Ponder these appalling facts prepared by Melvin A. Taylor, the Chicago banker, whose friends are recommending him for consideration as a Democratic Presidential candidate:

I wonder if it has ever occurred to you that before the individual, the corporation, industry, commerce can earn one dollar for those interested, they must contribute approximately \$33,000,000 each working day in the year for the support of the State and local Governments, and approximately \$18,000,000 per day in addition for the support of the Federal Government.

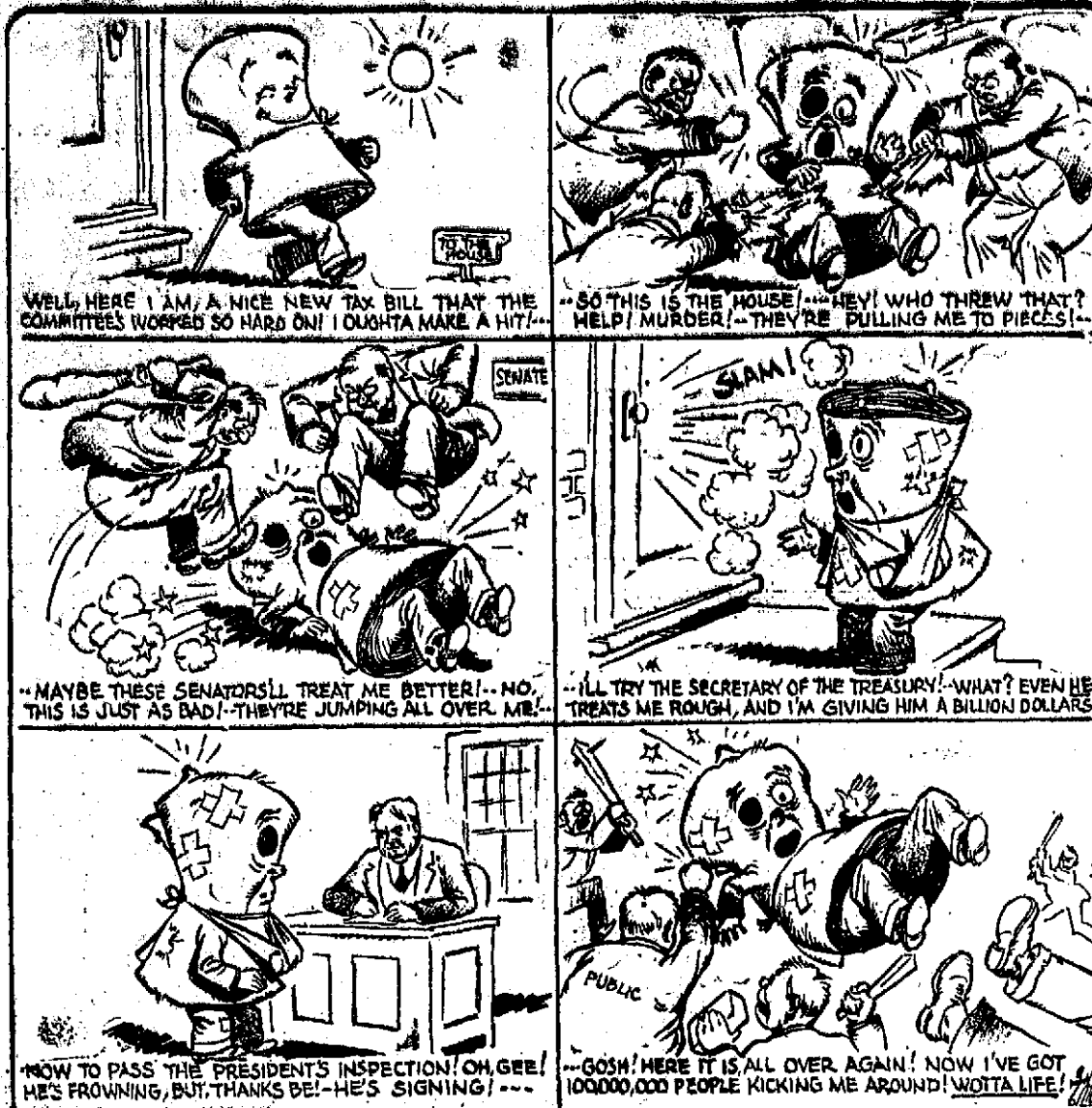
Based upon the estimated total annual income of \$70,000,000,000 for the United States from all sources for 1930, approximately twenty cents out of each dollar, or \$14,000,000,000 of this total annual income, is required solely to carry on the machinery of our multiple governing bodies; the tax bill is approximately \$110 annually for every man, woman and child in the United States proper.

This tax bill of \$14,000,000,000 exceeds by \$2,000,000,000 the gross farm value of all agricultural production—crops and live stock—in the United States in 1929. It is only 7 per cent less than the total salaries and wages paid in 1929 to 10,178,000 officers and employees of over 210,000 manufacturing establishments in the United States.

Today tax levies equal the estimated equivalent of one day's labor every week from every man, woman and child in the United States. Only a short time ago, one out of every twenty-two persons gainfully employed was on the public payroll; today it is one in every eleven; and it is said that at the present rate we shall in only a little over twenty years have one person on the payroll for every individual paying taxes.

It is time you and I voiced a ringing protest against further squandering of our resources. We are being taxed to the point where we are handicapped the re-building of prosperity. — Forbes Magazine.

## Life Story of a Tax Bill



## Al Smith Goes "Home" for Last Time



Former Governor Alfred E. Smith had "come home" for the last time when this picture was taken of him as he posed (at left) with characteristic informality on the steps of his former residence on Madison Street, New York. This building will be razed to make way for a new real estate development.

## Oldest American Mother Sought by Club Women

WASHINGTON.—(P)—The general Federation of Women's Clubs is searching for the oldest American mother.

State delegations are requested to locate the oldest woman in each state and report to the biennial convention in Seattle in June. The names will be read and the oldest

mother will be presented a certificate of honor. Mrs. Eugene B. Lawson, second vice-president of the federation, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, is in charge of the project.

### Motorists' Luck

Driving down-town alone you seldom see a girl waiting on a corner. But driving down with your wife you'll see one on every corner.—Florida Times-Union.

## Brush Burning Is Cause of Damage

### Large Percentage of Farm Fires Are Caused by Brush Burning

Considerable loss of property and damage to timber results from careless brush burning and "new ground" fires. Records show that 23 per cent of all forest fires started are caused by debris burning, states Charles A. Gillett, Extension forester, University of Arkansas, College of Agriculture.

Whenever debris, brush, or new ground fires are started special precautions must be taken to select a day that is not windy. On a dry, windy day, sparks can be blown a good many feet and resulting fires can do an untold amount of damage. Fires of the above mentioned character should never be left until the burning is complete. Enough help should be readily available to control the fires started should an unexpected wind come up. Too much care cannot be exercised to keep debris fires under absolute control.

## Lone Surviving Mound Found in 'Mound City'

ST. LOUIS.—(P)—St. Louis, once popularly known as the Mound City, really has an Indian mound still extant within its limits.

Until recently it was believed all in the vicinity had been destroyed except those across the Mississippi in Illinois, where scientific excavations are in progress.

The lone survivor was discovered in the southern part of the city, on a 300-foot bluff rising from the river.

## Inventions Exposition to Tickle Public Taste

ST. LOUIS.—(P)—Exploiting "things that are new" with the avowed purpose of stimulating manufacturing and trade through public interest, a National Patent and Industrial Exposition will be staged in St. Louis May 22 to 29.

In conjunction with the fair, the Society of American Inventors will hold its annual convention.

Many of the inventions on display will be personally demonstrated by the inventors.

### Raw Recruit

"Your husband has a new suit." "No, he hasn't." "Well, something's different." "It's a new husband."—Passing Show (London).

## 'Jafsie' Personals

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ACCEPT. Money is ready. You know they won't let me deliver without getting the cash. Let's make it come. I'll be O. O. D. transaction. Come. You know you can trust Jafsie.

Transaction 17

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MONEY IS READY—JAFSIE

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debt incurred by her. Morton Bernstein.

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THOMAS KENNEDY, Importer, Jeweler, 200 N. 1st St. 20

Facsimiles of three of the series of notes inserted in New York papers by Dr. John F. Condon, Sr., in the course of his efforts in behalf of the Lindberghs.

## Soybean Planting At Once Advisable

### County Agent Tells of Advantages of Crop in This Section

LITTLE ROCK.—A statement urging Pulaski county farmers to plant soybeans at once was issued Saturday by County Agent J. W. Sargent of Pulaski county. Soybean seeds are cheaper now than ever, he said, and the beans are adapted to any soil within the county. Mr. Sargent stressed the economy of raising soybeans, and their value to the soil.

His statement follows: "There never was a better time to start growing soybeans than now. The seeds are the cheapest we have ever seen. Beans can be planted broadcast with three pecks to a bushel per acre at the cost of less than \$1.50 for the seed. Soybeans are adapted to any soil in Pulaski county. Liming is not necessary. Soybeans produce hay unexcelled in quality for feeding of dairy cattle or other livestock.

"If the hay is cut before the leaves shatter its protein value is higher than that of alfalfa. Any ordinary soil will produce a ton or better of hay per acre and at the same time if the seeds have been inoculated the land will be in better condition for the crop having been grown on it. If the seeds are drilled in rows a peck of seed per acre will furnish a good stand. The crop will be sufficiently matured to cut for hay before danger of frost and in fact should be harvested before cotton picking season begins in earnest.

"Soybean hay is easier to cure and handle than cowpeas. If for any reason the crop should not be harvested it may be pastured and a good return will be gotten out of it in this manner. This is a dandy crop to plant with corn and pasture out with cattle and hogs after the corn is harvested.

"Some of the varieties, Laredoes in particular, will reseed themselves for a crop next year if the crop is allowed to mature on the land this year.

"There will probably be many acres idle in Pulaski county that could be improved by planting in soybeans in the next few weeks. No time should be lost in securing the seed and getting them planted by May 15."

## High School Club To Sponsor Film

### Home Economics Group Aiding Will Rogers Picture at Saenger

At the Saenger theater Thursday and Friday of this week the Home Economics Club will sponsor the picture, "Business and Pleasure," featuring Will Rogers.

Will Rogers, supposedly the world's greatest comedian is a humorist not only in the moving picture world, but he extends his humor to journalistic and political fields as well. By his remarks in his various fields, he causes the world to laugh, not at him but with him. Imagine what Will Rogers can do to either "business" or "pleasure".

But the picture will not be the only attraction on Thursday and Friday. Between the acts there will be several numbers by students of Hope High School. Among these special features will be a piano solo by Iris Bailey, a saxophone solo by Hilburn Graves, a reading by Avis Wilson, a violin solo by George Ruffin Marshall, and an organ solo by Luther Holman, Jr.

Besides all of these things the prices have been cut so as to be within the reach of everyone. They are now 10 and 25 cents. Tickets are now on sale by members of the Home Economics Club and by other members of the high school student body.

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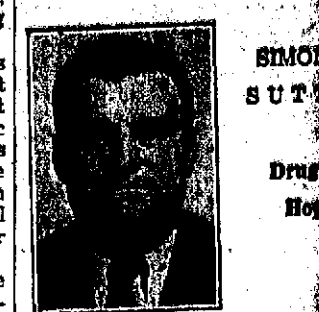
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## Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to publish the following candidates subject to the action of the Democratic primary election August 9, 1934.

## HEMPSTEAD COUNTY For Sheriff



## For County Treasurer FRANK WARD

## For Circuit Clerk DALE C. JONES

## For Road Overseer Bodew Township D. M. (Monroe) KENT

## Will Waive Interest On Delinquent MEMPHIS, Tenn.—(P)—The county court Monday voted to interest and penalties on delinquent taxes. The move was designed to encourage voting individual citizen. The act was urged by Chairman W. Percy, aid of the county school board receipts go to the supplementary schools.

## As Convicts Battle Blaze Which Swept South Carolina



When flames swept the South Carolina state penitentiary on the outskirts of Columbia, convicts were from their cells to help fight the blaze. The picture above shows the fire at its worst. Two companies of guard troops were called out, but convicts made no effort to escape after the flames had been brought under control. Damage was estimated at \$200,000.

## ELIMINATING GUESSWORK



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# SOCIETY NEWS

Mr. Sid Henry Telephone 821

It isn't hard to laugh or cheer, when all life's skies are bright and clear. When flowers bloom along the way, when birds sing happily all day. It isn't hard at all to smile, when roads are paved mile after mile. When trees hold, the motor purrs, and there's no sign of bad detours. It isn't hard at all to smile, when there's money rolling in; when there's enough and more to eat; when life seems perfect, good and sweet. But it takes courage to be gay when sunshine's gone and skies are gray; when flowers are dead and birds are mute; when all the world seems destitute. It's high courage that can grin when clothes are threadbare, soles are thin; that still can smile and gladly give its aid to help a brother live. So last to help a brother live, so let us smile our blues away; let us take courage and be gay; let's smile in spite of doubts and fears; let's smile—and if it be through tears.—Selected.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell L. Denmark and baby Russell L. Jr., of Texarkana were Monday guests of Mrs. J. E. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson and son, George, Jr., spent the week end visiting with Mr. Robinson's sister, Mrs. J. G. Velvin and Mr. Velvin in Vallant, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Pratt Bacon of Texarkana and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holman and children of Ashdown were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bacon.

The Althean Class of the First Baptist Sunday school will hold their regular monthly business and social meeting on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Kline Snyder on West Second street.

Friends will be glad to know that the condition of M. M. Smith, who is seriously ill at his home in Texarkana is reported as being slightly improved.

The idea of combining educational features with social affairs was very successfully carried out at the reception given at the home of Miss Mary and Dr. Pink Carrigan for the pleasure of delegates and visitors attending the Arkansas State D. A. R. conference held in our city last week. In the living room of the Carrigan home was a study in the American flags from the time John Paul Jones carried the first American flag aboard his ship on December 3rd 1773 in the Delaware river, through all the flags adopted by the 13 colonies through the Revolutionary period, the flag of France, indicating the nation that proved their friendship for the new country, the flag of Great Britain, the enemy, the battle flag of 1861, and the flag of the Pat Cleburne chapter U. D. C., the entertaining chapter, and last and greatest of all, the present American flag. It is very doubtful if there has ever been such a complete collection and display of flags at one time as this in our city, and much credit is due Dr. Carrigan for this interesting display. A lantern, more than 100 years old, that was used to light the way of the pioneer Carrigans from North Carolina to Arkansas, shed its brilliancy over this affair, and numerous pieces of china from 150 to 175 years old were displayed in the dining room, with flat silver made from silver dollars. In the library were many antiques, flat pieces of silver belonging to the Tremble family of Washington showed only half spoons and other half pieces, the other half having been worn away with constant use. A first model sewing machine turned by hand, and a spinning wheel,

operated by a black mammy, carding her rolls and making thread, was an eye opener to our modern young women, who spends most of her time at different pleasures, buying her dresses ready made as to how our grandmothers spent their time. A bedspread belonging to Mrs. J. R. Henry Sr., and Miss Lucy Boyd, had an interesting history, having been handed down from their great grandfather, Thomas Massey of Virginia, falling to get lines from England, flax seed were planted on the Massey plantation and at the proper time was harvested and though its many evolutions into this spread with its intricate embroideries and fringes, which stand forth as a work of art today, although entirely done by slaves. Two other spreads attracting a great deal of attention were displayed by Mrs. Gus Haynes, and were heirlooms in the family of the late Capt. J. H. Black.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Sykes of Corpus Christi, Texas, arrived on Tuesday for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. D. M. Finley and Mr. Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Young had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Gonbales of Shreveport, La.; Pete Ankrom of Springhill, La., and R. B. Sayre of El Dorado.

Mrs. McRae Andrews and baby of McAllen, Tex., arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Andrews' mother, Mrs. Jagerfeldt and sisters, Mrs. Clyde Hill and Mrs. George M. Green and other relatives.

The Oglesby P. T. A. will meet on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Oglesby school.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church held their April meeting on Monday afternoon at the church. A large number of members and visitors were present. The meeting opened with the hymn, "I Love to Tell the Story." The 91st psalm was read by Mrs. R. L. Gosnell; Mrs. E. E. White gave a very inspiring devotional, the subject being, "A Life Lived with God" from the 91st psalm.

Dr. J. L. Cannon gave a brief summary of the qualities necessary for claiming or expecting Divine protection, closing his remarks with the sentence, "It pays to be a Christian." A tribute was paid to the memory of Mrs. F. A. Thorp, one of the charter members of the Missionary society, who passed away since the last meeting. Following the business period, reports were given by the chairmen of the various departments. Mrs. R. M. Briant and Mrs. D. B. Thompson gave interesting reports of the missionary conference. A quarter, "Oh for the Wings of a Dove" was rendered by Mrs. R. M. LaGrone, Mrs. John P. Cox, Mrs. Stith Davenport and Mrs. George Ware. The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Dr. J. L. Cannon.

The Junior-Senior High School P. T. A. will meet on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the library room of the high school. All members are urged to be present.

**Shover Springs**  
Rain fell in this vicinity last Saturday night and Sunday which was needed, also some hail.

Mrs. George Johnson, daughter, Miss Mildred spent last Wednesday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. John Reece.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey McKamey and little daughter, were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reece had their Mother, Mrs. Cameral and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cameral and Mrs. Joanna Lewis and daughter, Artell, all of Bodcaw No. 2 and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cordal last Sunday for dinner.

Mrs. Charles Roberts has been on the sick list but is better now.

Mrs. H. W. Fore was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Reed.

Miss Givens was the Saturday dinner guest of Mrs. Grady Reece.

Edward Gilbert was shopping in Hope last Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Walker spent Sunday afternoon with John Reece and wife.

Mrs. H. W. Fore spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Leon Darwin and Mrs. Joe England.

Miss LaVette England started back to school last Monday after being absent a few weeks on account of having measles.

Mrs. Charles Sembach has returned home after spending several months with home folks.

Lickerly: "Why do they say 'dabble in stocks'?"

"Japerson: 'It must be on account of the water that is in most of them.'"

## Washington Beats Boston in Opener

### 10-Inning Pitcher's Battle Begins the 1932 Major League Season

Major league baseball opened the 1932 season Monday with a single game, played at Washington. Walter Johnson's Senators defeated the Boston Red Sox in a 10-inning pitchers' battle, 1 to 0.

Alvin Crowder, Washington ace, and Danny MacFayden, Boston moundsman, held their rival batemen to 7 hits on either side. The winning blow was a two-base punch by Heinie Manush, Washington leftfielder, in the 10th inning, which scored Meyer from first base.

Other major league clubs swing into action Tuesday.

The Little Rock Travelers open the 1932 season against the Chicago at Memphis Tuesday, returning to Little Rock for the second game Wednesday. All Southern association clubs will begin the 1932 season Tuesday, barring rain.

## Rocky Mound

Eld. Paul Reeves of Minden, La. filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Dannie Durham and daughter, Emogene, attended the funeral of Mrs. Tom Harris at Harmony Saturday afternoon.

Howard Wright of Fairview, Mr. and Mrs. Wright and daughter, Thelma, of this place left Saturday for Gladewater Texas, where they were called to the bedside of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Stella Rose, who is seriously ill.

Leward Silvey and wife spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Silvey.

We have Three more weeks of school at this place.

Mrs. J. L. Purtle and son, Jessie, of Bluff Springs, are spending this week with relatives here.

Will Boughton and wife of Shover Springs attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Pickard visited relatives at Hope Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Stevens and Tom Stevens spent the week end with relatives at Prescott.

The Rocky Mound baseball team played their first game Saturday afternoon with the Schooley boys, score was 16 - 14 in our favor.

Mrs. Norman Taylor and Mrs. N. C. Purtle spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. H. Pickford.

A negro minstrel will be given at the school building Saturday evening April 16. A special feature will be a play entitled "Stick to Your Word Gal." Admission 5 and 10 cents. The proceeds will go the baseball team.

## Bodcaw

Lillian Tyson, home economics teacher here, has organized a class in foods, over in Little Bodcaw that will meet every Friday at 2 o'clock for ten weeks. Everyone is invited to come and join the class.

Mrs. P. H. Herring of Prescott spent a few days last week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Munn and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Smith of El Dorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Kidd are visiting their son in Smackover for a few days.

Little Ray Gamble was laid to rest in Union cemetery at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Everyone joins the family in sympathy at this sad time.

A class in foods and clothing was organized at Falcon by Lillian Tyson, to meet every Tuesday at 1 o'clock for 10 weeks. There is also a class in clothing at Bodcaw that meets every Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Everyone is invited to come and join any of the classes.

Bodcaw Women's Club will meet, Thursday at 2 o'clock in the home, economics room. Everyone is invited to come as an interesting program is being planned.

## Columbus

The Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church met Wednesday with Mrs. J. O. Johnson and Miss Janie Johnson as hostess. Mrs. David Wilson had charge of the program. Miss Janie Johnson, Mrs. Jim Wilson, Jr., and Mrs. David Wilson were elected delegates to the Presbyterian which convenes in Hope this month. The meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. J. S. Wilson, Sr. Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. R. C. Stuart, Mrs. E. J. Shepperson, Mrs. J. S. Wilson, Sr., Mrs. Jim Wilson, Jr., Miss Mildred Johnson, Mrs. Blackwood, Mrs. Joe Wilson, Mrs. Alie Wilson, Mrs. T. J. Johnson, Mrs. James Otis Johnson and the hostesses.

Miss Mary Gaines Autrey spent the week end with Miss Selma Lee Bartlett in Hope.

E. M. Delaney was a visitor to Hope Saturday.

Mrs. T. C. Wilson, Mrs. J. O. Johnson and Miss Rena Johnson were visitors to Hope Saturday.

Miss Lorena Darnall spent the week end with Miss Ethel Robertson in Ozan.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Urry of Hope and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Boyce of Bright Star visited with Mrs. K. G. Dudley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cowling of Mineral Springs visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Abbott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bolding had as guests Sunday, Mrs. Dick Milam and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cowling of Mineral Springs.

Mrs. T. T. Clenden and Miss Ruth Clendenin spent the week end with Mrs. S. H. Smith of Washington.

Ozro Bolding of Sherman, Tex., is visiting with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bristow of Liberty spent the week end with Mrs. E. M. Delaney.

Miss Janie Johnson left Saturday for an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Williamson at Shreveport.

Mrs. H. H. Darnall, Miss Mary Gaines Autrey and Miss Frances Darnall attended the senior play at Mineral Springs Friday night.

## Bargain Prices Given at Saenger

### Boxing Is Scheduled in Connection With Show Tuesday Night

One of the biggest bargains in Hope is offered by the new Saenger policy which will have it initial opening Wednesday. That of a bargain day each week. This bargain day is to be every Wednesday at which time anyone and everyone will be admitted to the theatre both matinee and nights for the price of children 10c and adults 15c.

The feature picture that will be shown this Wednesday only is "Beauty and the Boss," starring that new and vivacious star, Marian Marsh. It is unquestionably a splendid and entertaining picture and played for one solid week at the Pulaski Theatre in Little Rock to capacity audiences.

The feature picture that shows for the last times Tuesday at the Saenger is "Disorderly Conduct" starring Sally

Eller (star of Red Girl) and Spencer Tracy. There will be boxing on the stage at 8:45. This added attraction has proven very popular with the audiences and a large crowd is anticipated for the performance. The new low admission prices will prevail with children admitted for 10c and adults for 25c.

"Well, Mrs. Johnson," a colored physician announced after taking her husband's temperature. "Ah has knocked de fever outen him."

"Sho' nuff," was the excited reply. "Am he gwine git well, den?"

"No'm," answered the doctor. "Dey's no hope fo' him, but you has de satisfaction of knowin' dat he died cured."

## Interest Grows in Good Pastures

### Open Range Not Considered Good Practice by Farmers of Today

Permanent improved pastures for beef cattle, dairy cattle, hogs and work stock are becoming of great interest to the farmers of southwest Arkansas where a few years ago the wide open range was considered sufficient to take care of all classes of livestock.

Declares J. L. Wright, district agent, University of Arkansas College of Agriculture.

It is also interesting to note, points out Mr. Wright, that there were very few purebred animals brought into the district for demonstration purposes in 1928, while in 1931 there were 53 purebred beef animals, 354 purebred hogs, 70 purebred dairy animals brought in for demonstrations with livestock. Most of these animals will find a good pasture in which to find the greater portion of their feed.

The farmers of Arkansas have learned that to grow livestock with any degree of success, the feed must be grown at home and the cheapest home-grown feed is produced by a good improved permanent pasture free from weeds.

## Waves of Piracy

SHANGHAI—A wave of piracy toward Lake Chungking, the Chinese commercial center of the Yangtze River, has been reported from all parts of the river.

The merchants said they were making their headquarters at Taihu, 75 miles west of the situation was the worst in the history.

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Children 10c Adults 15c

Any seat in the house Wednesday Matinee or Night!

Feature Picture

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—With—

Marion Marsh

DAVID MANNERS

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Feature Picture

LAST TIMES TUESDAY Beautiful SALLY EILERS (Star of Bad Girl) —In— "DISORDERLY CONDUCT" —With— Spencer Tracy—El Brendel

COMING THURSDAY WILL ROGERS in 'Business and Pleasure' —SAENGER—



# MAN HUNTERS

BY MABEL McELLIOTT

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...for her. If she had only known it. He was a shrewd man, she thought, and had more delicacy than she gave him credit for.

"This long day, wore on. 'He's gone, he's gone,' tickled the clock. 'He didn't even say goodby to me.' Her heart was a lump of cold ice. She went to lunch in a still state. The men and women in the sandwich shop were shapes in a dream and everywhere, every where, boys and girls seemed to walk in pairs. In all that busy mid-summer Sunday only Susan Carey was alone.

It was two o'clock. After countless ages it was three. She typed steadily, thinking to dull by unceasing effort the pain that racked her head.

"Oh, I beg your pardon. Did you—did you speak to me before?" The woman standing outside the office gate was cool, poised, elegant. Her ash blond hair was folded back in waves under her smart black hat. Her expression was one of amused disdain.

"Only three or four times," the woman said, her tone suggesting that Susan was not only dull but inattentive.

"This typewriter is so noisy," the girl began to explain in confusion. Instantly she felt she had said the wrong thing. Her caller's expression of remote amusement deepened.

"It's of no consequence," she said crisply. "Mr. Heath's not in, then?" Susan had risen. In her embarrassment she stammered as a child might. "No, he's not. Is there any message I can take?" For answer the woman in black clicked open the gate with accustomed fingers and said fretfully, "I'll wait. He's expecting me."

Then, since the girl continued to look surprised, she exclaimed impatiently, "Mrs. Heath."

That was all but she had reduced Susan to the merest pulp. Her manner had been that of the princess who rebukes the loutish servant.

"I'm sorry, I didn't know," the girl said in a low voice. But Mrs. Heath had already ensconced herself in the most comfortable chair in her husband's office and did not trouble to reply.

Person came in, ducked his head in the direction of the private room in an obscure gesture of recognition, and disappeared into his favorite haven, the vault. Susan could hope for no assistance from

that quarter. She worked on. Jack Waring slumped down the other door and bustled in, whistling a dance tune.

"How's every little?" he began with customary exuberance. The words died on his lips as he caught sight of the still, aristocratic figure in black.

"Ah, Mrs. Heath!" His manner underwent a subtle change. The lady gave him a slow smile but her accents were sweet.

"Nice to see you. It's been ages." Waring bowed over her hand. Susan could hear the ripple of light laughter. In the tail of her eye she could see the man light a cigarette held in the woman's long white fingers. An emerald, big as a roe's egg, gleamed on one of them.

"Cannes—just like every other place—St. Jean de Luz—home on the Berengaria—" She could hear the cool, disdainful voice trailing on. She wondered what manner of woman this was. Waring's usual gay insolence was dimmed. He was respectful rather than gay. Susan was ever so slightly amused at this. "She must be what Aunt Jessie calls a regular Tartar, to affect him in that way," observed the young girl to herself.

Presently Ernest Heath entered. Susan had a distinct sense of relief. Now her responsibility ended. "My dear, I didn't expect you until tomorrow!"

The lady laughed again, not altogether agreeably. She gave the tips of her fingers to her husband and an oblique glance to the younger man.

"Ernest is so amusing. He always wants things to happen according to schedule." And, indeed, Heath seemed annoyed.

"I think you might have wired. I should certainly have met you." He seemed aggrieved. There was an undertone of real contention in their light talk. Susan tried not to listen.

"I always like to give you surprises!" There was an edge to Mrs. Heath's tone. "One never knows—" Her voice trailed off and whether unwittingly or not her gaze strayed to the young girl typing furiously at her desk. Susan heard Heath say with some heat that he disliked surprises intensely.

After a tactful moment Waring slipped away and Susan was summoned to Pierson's cubbyhole to help him check some figures. She grew absorbed in the task and forgot to notice the hum of voices, now low and rather monotonous, in the private office.

In an interlude Pierson inquired with a jerk of his head, "How d'ye like her ladyship?" Susan flushed. "She's very attractive."

Pierson drew down his left eyelid in a grotesque wink. "Some boss, she is! I feel sorry for the old man."

Abruptly he adjusted his expression and began monotonously to read figures aloud. Mrs. Heath was leaving.

SUSAN heard her name called. Her employer, looking mildly flustered, said, "You've not met Mrs. Heath, I believe, Miss Carey."

Mrs. Heath looked into space a fraction of an inch over Susan's head and the travesty of a smile visited her thin, beautifully molded lips. Then she was gone, leaving a drift of expensive, subtle scent behind her.

"Whew! Thank God that's over," muttered the bookkeeper as the hall door slammed. "We won't have another visitation for another six months."

Susan told herself that of course she didn't mind if Mrs. Heath treated her like the paper on the wall. Why should she? She didn't know what the rules of etiquette for employers' wives were, but she rather thought a more gracious mood was indicated. Oh, well, what did it matter?

"I'm leaving for the day," Heath said over her shoulder. His pale, ascetic face seemed flushed and annoyed. "If MacWhig calls from New York tell the operator to get my house after four o'clock."

Jack Waring sauntered over to Susan's desk later. "Ritzed you, eh?" His keen eyes under his sandy thatch were smiling but sympathetic.

Susan shrugged. "I guess so. What does it matter?" But there was a line of bitterness about her young mouth.

"Child, don't you care!" She looked up, surprised, at the earnestness of Waring's usually bantering voice. She avoided him these days, fearing a recurrence of his flirtatious manner. But Waring seemed wholly in earnest. Almost fatherly. "Thanks," Susan said soberly.

She was struck by a new, not altogether unwelcome thought. What if she should find a friend in this man?

## Max Is Back



"Alles ist wohl!" was the greeting of Max Schmeling, heavyweight champion of the world, as he reached New York to start a barnstorming tour that will culminate in June when he meets Jack Sharkey to defend his title.

## Cost of Angling Drops in Ozark Fish Haunts

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo.—(AP)—Reduced boat rentals and lower guide fees are expected to make fishing cheaper in the Missouri Ozarks this season, the state game and fish department reports.

Twenty-nine established "float trip" outfitters operate on the 14 larger Ozark streams. Their equipment includes 300 "john boats," 45 motorboats, 19 trucks, camping goods and other supplies.

Smith was standing before the judge having injured his wife. Judge: "You maintain that you 'knew your wife out of the second story window through forgetfulness?'" Smith: "Yes, we used to live on the ground floor, and I'd clean forgotten we'd moved."

## Blooming Pretty, Eh?



You need no further proof that it's cherry blossom time again at the nation's capital. Here Miss Evelyn Dell poses prettily behind a natural frame of the lovely blooms which draw thousands of visitors to Washington every year.

## Pursuing Officers Eluded By Floyd

### Oklahoma Posse Finds No Trace of Former Sheriff's Slayer

TULSA, Okla.—(AP)—Oklahoma's newest will-o-the-wisp bandit, Charles ("Pretty Boy") Floyd, has vanished again after being credited with the slaying of his sixth peace officer victim.

Floyd, bank robber and terrorist extrajurisdictionary, disappeared after being traced three miles from a farm near Bixby, Okla., where E. D. Kelly, former sheriff, was shot and killed Saturday.

A blind lead was followed to Earlsboro, where Floyd's brother lives. Officers concentrated about Seminole and Pottawatomie counties found nothing.

Jack Bonham, Tulsa detective chief, whose men were in a group assembled from a half dozen counties to ambush Floyd on a visit to his wife at the farm home of her father, said that there was nothing new to report.

Kelly, working with the state Bureau of Investigation, headed the posse that lay in wait for Floyd Friday night. He virtually was alone as an automobile turned into a narrow lane approaching the house and drove toward him.

He stepped into the light and commanded the two men occupying the

car to surrender, and was shot in his back. Floyd is sought for murder, robbery and Bowring Green, Kansas City, Mo., and Kansas, Kan., and in a dozen Oklahoma ties for bank robbery.

Few writers worry about of writer says. That's right. them think food comes first.

## Three-Alarm Test

"Now," said the super-sensitivist, "this instrument three green liquor is good—red if it is bad. Sorry, but I'm color-blind. I sized the prospect. 'Got it with a gong on it?'—Juggler."

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting of the Hope County Hospital Association will be held at the C. W. WELTMAN, Pres. (April 12-13-14.)

The purpose of the meeting is to elect new officers and to hear report of the Hospital Board for preceding year.

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## Gangsters Wreck Paper in Chicago

### Entire Issue of Neighborhood Weekly Seized, Presses Damaged

CHICAGO—Eight "heavy men" of the Vice Squad, flourishing their Sunday morning seized the entire issue of the Capitol Press, 221 South Halsted street, wrecked printing presses, and carried away the entire stock of a neighborhood newspaper containing an attack on the alleged gangland affiliations of State Representative Michael A. Ruddy.

The newspaper, the Chicago Globe, supporting the governorship candidacy of Omer N. Custer. An issue was seized Sunday morning containing an advertisement of local business men who are fighting the influence of Salts and Frank McErlane in their

district. George Florey, owner of the paper, said that the business men's advertisement quoted from the Illinois crime survey of 1929, in which it was said that Ruddy's candidacies had been supported by Salts, McErlane or the late "Big Tim" Murphy, labor racketeer.

Ruddy is seeking re-election to the House of Representatives, and election as Republican committeeman of the Fifteenth ward as well. The newspaper and the business men of the community, represented in the Stock Yards Business and Civic Association, which has carried on a long fight against the influence of the South Side beer barons, are supporting Arthur P. Goff for committeeman.

Six men of the night shift were on duty at the print shop when the hoodlums appeared in three automobiles. The employees were herded together and locked in an office, after which the hoodlums went through the plant demolishing the equipment. The vandalism done, the gangsters gathered up the bundled papers, ready for distribution, piled them into their automobiles, and escaped.

## Dermott Blacksmith Attacked by Mad Bull

DERMOTT—J. A. McNeely, blacksmith, narrowly escaped being killed when he was attacked by a furious bull belonging to Mrs. W. K. Baker Saturday afternoon. Mr. McNeely entered the lot where the bull was kept and the animal attacked, knocking him about 10 feet. When attempting to arise he was attacked again. Mr. McNeely discovered that by lying still the bull would not bother him. He called for help and neighbors rushed to his assistance.

War may cost 70 per cent of the total sum spent by the national government, but that still leaves 30 per cent for the politicians.

## Wouldn't King Cole Have Been Delighted!



These are fiddlers eight, representing as many states, who formed a national orchestra during the silver anniversary of the Musical Supervisors' National Conference at Cleveland, Ohio, which has just concluded. They are, from right back row: Janice Aiken, Ketchikan, Alaska; Hazel Brown, Colorado Springs, Colo.; Olga Sorcetti, Rock Springs, Wyo.; Jennieville Worth, Blackton, Ill. Front row: Thelma Kamie, Mobile, Ala.; Marie Barnes, Charleston, S. C.; Mary Alice Jenkins, Fort Worth, Texas; and Katherine Lee, Jamestown, N. Y.



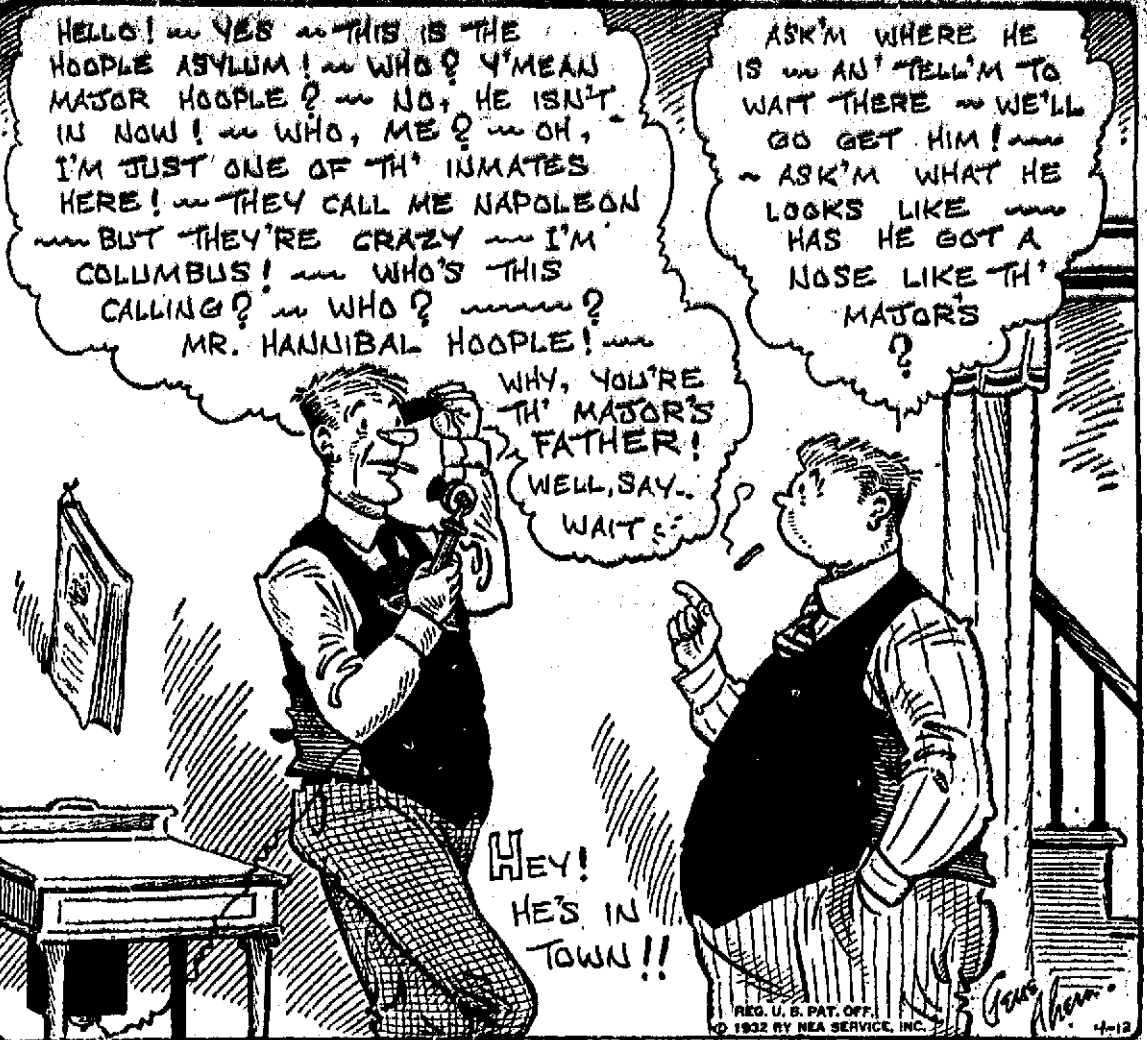
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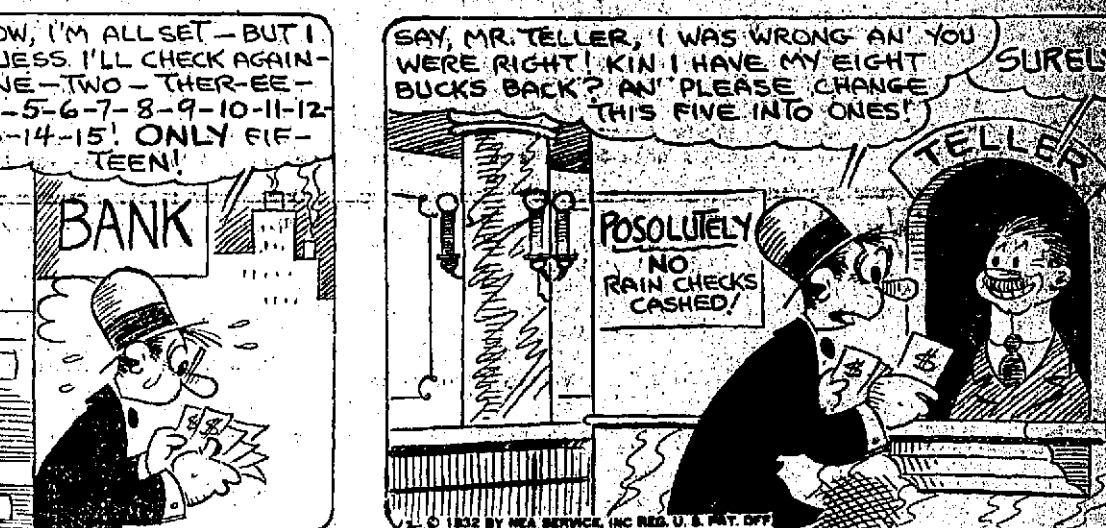
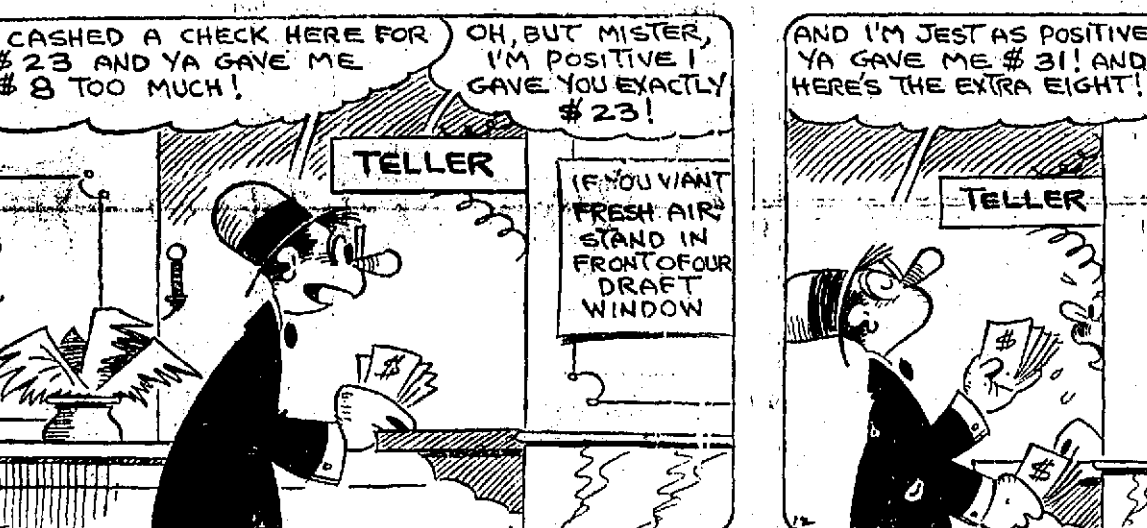
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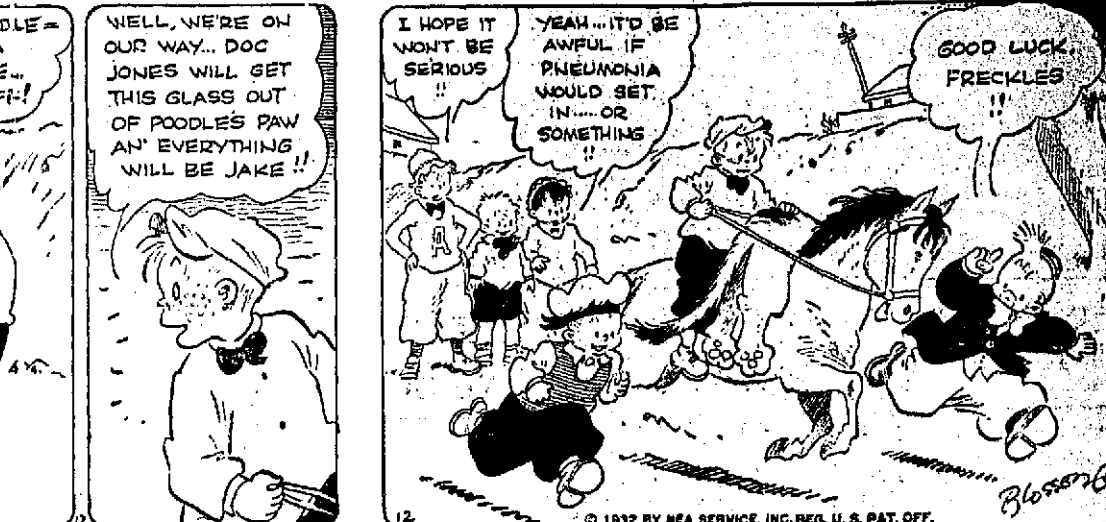
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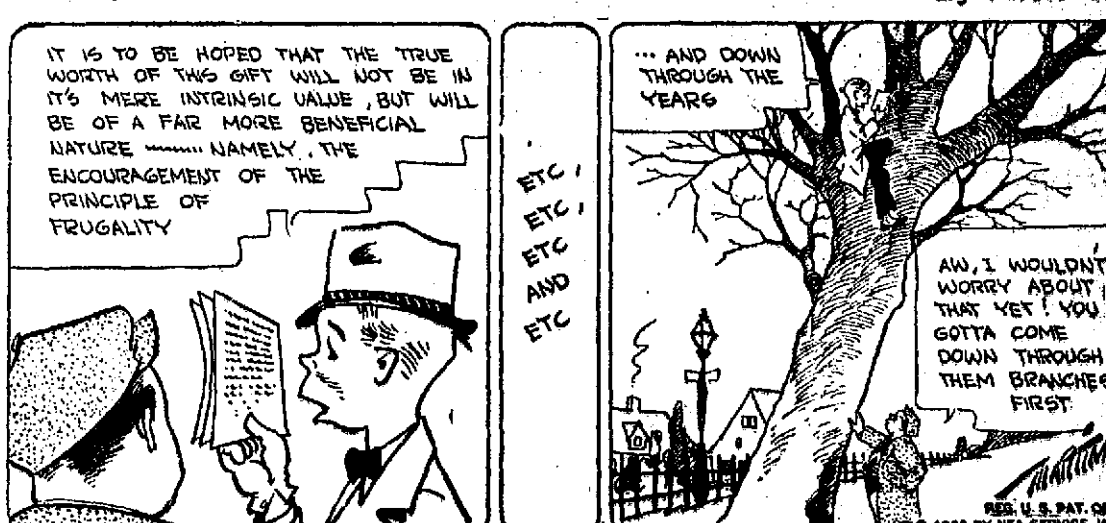
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**Girl, 12, Strangled To Death in Bed**

**Lodger Held in Rooming House Murder at Whiting, Indiana**

WHITING, Ind. (AP)—Alberta Knight, 12, daughter of the late Rev. Oscar Knight, Baptist minister of Crossville, Ill., was found strangled Sunday in her mother's roominghouse. A piece of elastic lamp wire was twisted about her neck.

The body was found by John Mihok, 27, a lodger, when, he said, he

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went to her room to call her for Sunday school. Mihok and three other roomers, John Mihok, 22, Jack Gibson 25, and Joe Cooper 32, were questioned by police.

Officials also are seeking a man known only as "Blackie," who was to have occupied a room in the house Saturday night. The room had been rented to Douglas Shore, listed as helper to "Iron Man Jack" Goodman, who, as a advertising stunt, has been sleeping on a bed of spikes in the window of a clothing store near the house for the last five days.

Shore and Goodman, who came here from Montevideo, Minn., said the former's room had been loaned to "Blackie." They could not furnish the suspect's full name but supplied police with his description. Shore and Goodman were not held.

**Herbert Watson Gets Furlough Until Sept. 1**

LITTLE ROCK—(AP)—Herbert Watson of Crawford county, convicted in March, 1930, and sentenced to 15 years in the penitentiary on a statutory charge, was given a thorough Monday until September 1. Clemency was given to permit Watson to make a crop.

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